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Officers Of Baptist State Convention

Officers of the General Baptist State Convention, recently elected Shelbyans; Mr. and Mrs. A W. at Vicksburg are: Rev. A. A. Cosey, President; Rev. H. H. Humes, first vice president, Rev C. A. Greer, second vice president; Rev. J. W. Terrell, third vice pres ident; Rev. R. W. Woullard, fourth vice president; Rev. W. M. Walton recording secretary; Rev. C. L. West, first assistant secretary; Rev. A. D. Purnell, second assistant secretary; Rev. J. J. Bell treasurer; Rev. A. W. Moore, co responding secretary, Rev. E. L. Drew, educational secretary; Rev. C. V. Hill, state Missionary; Rev. R. C. Anderson, statistician; Rev O. W. Lenoir, Home Mission Sec. retary; Rev. R. C. Gallion, Foreign Mission Secretary; Rev. E. G. Mason, Auditor.

Dr. P. E. Frisby was elected President-Emeritus. Rev. A. Wal ter Williams, A. M., B. D., was elected President of Natchez Coi lege. The other teachers elected at Natchez College are Dean W. L Nelson, Prof. W. L. Nelson, Prof. O. D Pelt, Prof. W. J. Flemmings. Prof. L. C. Bates, Mrs. O. R. Jack son, Miss Minnie Carlisle, Mrs. Katherleen Crenshaw, Miss Ebna Sims, Mrs. L. C. Winchester, and Miss Amanda Toles.

Shelby News

Mr and Mrs. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Bull ck; and Mr. Ruh motored to Memphis, Sunday Mr. Rush visited his fathe, who is ill. Mr. and Mrs Ware visited rela tives and friends and M s Bullocke spent the day with relatives, the Castors, formerly of Shelby.

The pride of Shelby Tabernacle celebrated the 12th by selling barbecued chicken and ice cream, which proved to be quite a success

Mrs. Nancy Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and M s. A. E. Mc Wayne and visited their church. She reported wonderful service They are members of Pleasant Green, in Mound Bayou.

Sunday Service was apiritually high at St. Andrew the Pastor, Rev. J. L. Joiner, preached a soul stirring sermon at 11 A. M., and Communion was issued that night.

The Bolivar County Sunday School and B T. U. Congress was largely attended by the following Marshall, Messrs. Earnest Gr gory nda James Wesley, Mesdames F L. Wilson and Mrs. M. V. Brooks little L. M. Jones. Our stand by

Rev. Wm. Lee and Mrs. Girdie L. Bullocks.

The Wings Over The Delta Chorus rendered special music for the Congress Thursday night, and everybody seemed to have enjoyed

LOCALS

Mrs. G. C. Richardson has returned home after spending a week in the women's camp at Waveland, Miss. She was accompanied by Mrs. Carrie Ford, Mrs. Matthews of Boyle, Mrs. Amzie Moore of Cleveland and Miss Pauline Thompson.

Mrs. P. M. Norman spent Sunday and Monday in Clarksdale with her sister, Mrs. Askew and other relatives and friends.

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